DARKLEAF

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published in 1809. This book clung to the belief that the earth was flat instead of round! We have seen a number of the rare items in Dr. Christian's collection, including an interesting assortment of pistols and old guns. He has many old letters, manuscripts and pictures: enough material for a small meseum.

I liked this one:

"Tommy," said his Uncle John, "do you have a girl?"

"Gosh, no!" shouted the 10-year old and ran off to the baseball game. The little girl next door smiled wisely at Uncle John and said, "They're always the last ones to know." —Dixie Roto Magazine.

Study Of Rural Health

(Editor's note: This is the fifth in a series of stories on health in rural Virginia).

A baby born today will on the average live 20 years longer than one born a half century ago, thanks largely to Public Health work. Furthermore most communicable diseases have been brought under control.

In his comprehensive review of the Virginia Medical Care System, Dr. W. E. Garnett, rural sociologist of the V. P. I. Agricultural Experiment Station, says that "within a single lifetime the Virginia Public Health Service has advanced from a staff of 4 workers and a budget of $75,000 to more than 700 professional and clerical workers and an annual budget of over $8,000,000.

Public Health work is concerned with maintaining, protecting and improving the health of the people through organized community effort. With growing medical knowledge, changing needs, and growing resources, the Public Health Program has seen a constant expansion.

The latest developments have been, responsibility for the new hospital planning and construction program and hospital and nursing home inspection and licensing.

Other new developments include responsibilities in the field of alcohol studies, and rehabilitation and cancer and heart disease control.

Conquering of communicable diseases and the development of noncommunicable diseases as the chief killers has necessitated a change in Public Health Programs. In work with the latter types of diseases, the Public Health workers are brought in much closer relations with curative medicine than was the case when control of communicable disease was their chief problem.

Local health departments now cover most of the state, and through their sanitarians, conduct inspection of milk producer and distributing plants, restaurants and other food establishments, tourist homes, trailer camps and filling stations. They are responsible for communicable disease control. They help teachers secure examination of school children and correction of defects. They arrange many types of clinics and carry on continuous educational programs. Public Health Workers cooperate closely with many types of volunteer organizations.

It is the goal of the State Health Department to provide one health officer for each 40,000 to 60,000 people; one nurse for each 5,000; one sanitation officer for each 20,000; and clerks as needed.

For the state as a whole local funds average from 20% to 25% of local health department budgets. Local support was increased by an average of 10% in 1953 and it is planned for local support gradually to be increased up to 50% of local health work budgets, with a corresponding decrease in state and federal aid.

Over the years, public health workers have been—even to the point of delaying needed advances — extremely careful to enlist the approval and support of medical societies for their programs. Although medical societies, state and local, have on the whole given support to public health work there has sometimes been opposition from some private practitioners who thought public health programs were unduly cutting in on private curative medicine.

Dr. Garnett says it is apparent that for the best results in the health program as a whole, public health workers must help volunteer groups in selecting most needed lines of effort. They must also make effective use of volunteer groups in channeling public health programs to the public. The author of the report emphasizes that citizens have two major responsibilities in connection with public health work: First, the responsibility of helping create sentiment for proper support of the work, and second, the responsibility of availing themselves of and encuouraging others to make full use of the services of public health programs.

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IN MEMORIAM

In memory of my nephew, Gerald McLean Harvey, who passed away one year ago today, October 30th 1953.

Some where beyond the shadows
Dwells that dear nephew of mine,
Whom I looked on as a treasure,
Whom I cherished as divine.
But God called the one I loved away,
Forget you, Jerry, no I never will,
As years roll on I miss you still.
Without your smiling face,
Home has seemed another place.

Aunt Ida.

(1tp)

Card of Thanks

A CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for their love and kindness shown to us during my husband's illness. The various church associations, the school children and ourwondermfu sail,cF 12345 our wonderful neighbors.

Mrs. M. P. Porter and Sons.

(1tc)

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all fo: the nice remembrances that were sent me during my stay in the hospital. My Heavenly Father was so good to me. I am now back in my office.

Clyde G. O'Brien.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks to relatives and friends who sent me cards and gifts to make my stay at the hospital so pleasant. Your kindness is deeply appreciated and will long be remembered.

Sherman Bushey

(1tc)

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my friends for their kindness shown me during my stay in the hospital and since my return home. Also for the flowers, cards and gifts.

Crawford Davidson.

(1tc)

Lost and Found

NOTICE: A pair of glasses were found beside the N & W station this week and brought to the Times-Virginian office. Owner may obtain same by paying for this adv.

Special Notices

FOOD AND BAKERY SALE: front of Appomattox Hardware every Saturday by ladies of Baptist Church.

(10-21-5tc)

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Are you having difficulty in finding a place or some one to care for your child or children while you work? If so, get in touch with me at once. I am working very hard to organize a Nursing Home and need your cooperation. I will need at least 25 children from infant size on up to be able to operate same. It will be operated by experienced mothers who will know how to give your child the best of care and attention. Will be located on that well known Wilkes Plant Farm. See or phone me at once. Phone No. 4422.

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(10-7-4tp)

POSTED: No hunting or trespassing on our property without written permission.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hudson.

(10-28-2tp)

CLASSIFIED ADS

Special Notices

The Local Selective Service Board No. 8 will be closed the week of November 8 through 12, 1954. Boys required by law to register that week will please come in the week following.

(10-21-3tc)

POSTED: No trespassing or hunting on the Worley Farm at Spout Spring, Va. Hunters or trespassers will be prosecuted.

Worley Bros.,
J. M. Worley.

(10-28)
(11-11 2-tp)

For Sale

FOR SALE: A fur coat. Will sell at very reasonable price. See:

Rona Mae Wooldridge.

FOR SALE: 6-room house, cinder block and stucco, half basement. Lot 125 x 300 ft. Also have 4 lots for sale.

E. O. Johnson.

(10-21-2tp)

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(8-26-10c)

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H. D. Reynolds,
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(1tp)

FOR SALE: 1 gal. size electric milk pasteurizer—family size. In good condition.

S. S. Shouse,
Hillandale Farm.

(1tp)

FOR SALE by owner: Nice 7-room house at Concord, and a 2-room house with light and 11 ¼ acre of land. Will sell cheap for quick sale. See

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PUBLIC SALE

We are offering at public auction, the Methodist Parsonage of the Appomattox Circuit, in the town of Appomattox, consisting of one dwelling house, six rooms, bath, and two halls. This building is in fair shape and livable conditions at the present time. Also, contains 2.10 acres of land, has a road frontage on Route 460 of approximately 153 3/4 feet. This is a valuable piece of property, situated right in the town of Appomattox, close to schools, churches and etc. This is a valuable parcel of land for business and other purposes.

Any one that will be interested in this property, may call at the place and look it over.

The committee reserves the right to reject one and all bids if the price of the property is not enough as they see it.

(Sign): Clarence F. Moore,
One of the committeemen.

PLACE: Town of Appomattox.
TIME: 2:00 P. M., Saturday, the 6th day of November, 1954.
TERMS: Cash.
AUCTIONEER: J. H. O'Brien.

(10-28-2tp)

MAKE YOUR OWN YULE PRESENTS

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Legals

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By virtue of an execution, fieri facias or other Court order, I will offer for sale to the highest bidder on the Used Car Lot of Moses Motor Company, at 3:00 P. M., Saturday, October 30, 1954

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David T. Robertson,
Sheriff Appomattox County

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(10-28-2tp)

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...se services were held at ... Land Baptist Church ...day morning. The Rev. S. ... pastor of the Morning ... Church, was the guest ...

...ple is invited to attend the ...ening of the East and ...nd Sunday School Union ...ngs and vicinity this ... the First Baptist Church, ...at 10:30 A. M. The an... will be delivered by the ... Dinner will be served by ... Baptist Sunday School.

...ept the choir festival to ...the Galilee Baptist Church ...day at 8:00 P. M.

...e services for the ... late ...orge Washington Lang... conducted from Galilee ...rch Monday at 2:00 P. ...e of the church deliv... timely eulogy. Music was ...by the Galilee church choir. ...s and cards of sympathy ...by the Rev. N. R. Jor... also spoke on the life of ... The following deacons ...e to the life of the de... Deacons Thomas Morgan, ...Shiels and Henry Walk... of Galilee Baptist, First ...anan and Springfield ...pellhauer. The deceased ...following, a wife, one ...ree son, one grandson. ...Interment was in the ...metery.

...ed Mrs. S. E. Singleton ...Sunday dinner guests of ...d Mrs. C. M. Harvey.

...ed Mrs. R. Q. Lawing and ...Mrs. Leon Lawing spent ...Asheville, N. C. Rev. Law... the guest minister at the ...and evening service at the ...ebly Baptist Church.

...dies Stephens is spending ...ion in Baltimore, Md.

...al teachers will attend the ...chers Association in Rich... Friday as a body.

...Louie Canada's mother, ...Elliott has returned ...extensive visit with her chil... follows: Mr. and Mrs. P. ...ons, of 3738 Childs St., ...a, who own and operate ...ast Cab Co. and service ...ter; Dr. and Mrs. H. T. ...of Logan, W. Va. Mrs. El... physical education. Dr. ...in his private practice has ...inted superintendent of ...ner Sanitorium, Beard, W. ...a member of the House of

Delegates. He gave her a trip to N. Y. by pullman to visit Mary and Arlean. Mary owns and operates the Elliott's Beauty Nest. Arlean is employed as switchboard operator there. They brought Mrs. Elliott by to see Rev. A. H. Elliott, of Baltimore, Md., and his wife from there to her home. Mrs. Elliott is 77 years old and is very energetic. Also does her house work, attends flowers and garden, keeps her lawn and rooms the Bratleys school teachers, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rucker.

The St. Luke Church Choir was on program at the Hat Creek Church to a choir festival Sunday night.

The Baptist Cornerstone Sunday School Union will meet with the Mt. Lyle Sunday School this Sunday.

The Silvertone Serenaders, of Chase City, Va. will render a program at the Jordan Baptist Church on Sunday night, Oct. 31, at 7:30 P. M., sponsored by the Ladies Club of the church.

Beckham

Beckham, Oct. 26.- Here I go again with some news of our community.

Mrs. W. A. Weakley visited P. L. Weakley and also visited Mrs. Fred Weakley and son, Michael last Wednesday.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Weakley were Mr. and Mrs. Shearer Weakley and daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weakley and son and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Wood and family.

The family of Mrs. T. M. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Morris, Mrs. H. R. Moore, Mr. Virgil Grow and Mr. Howard Blanks, Jr. were present at Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Morris' for a hamburger fry, celebrating Mrs. J. J. Morris' birthday Sunday.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Mays Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Ashby Martin.

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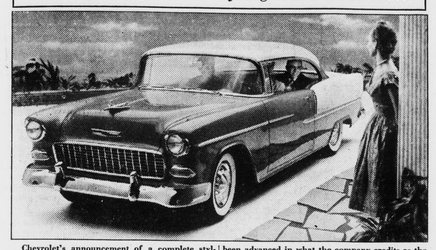

Chevrolet's announcement of a complete styling transformation in 1955 models is verified by this view of the Bel Air sport coupe. Re-engineered from the tires up, the new models offer improvements in every phase of motoring. Power, suspensions, steering, visibility, comfort, safety have all been advanced in what the company credits as the most sensational model in its history. A new V8 engine of 162 horsepower is a feature. The luxurious two-toned interiors are color-keyed with the exterior. The windshield sweeps gracefully around to vertical corner pillars giving greater visibility.

Pamplin

Pamplin, Oct. 25.- Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Anderson and son visited relatives at Durham, N. C. last week.

Mrs. W. B. Ford is visiting in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. McCauley, of Fredericksburg.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Guthery, of Lynchburg were week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Wingfield, of Richmond visited in the home of her mother, Mrs. H. T. Terry, last week-end.

Miss Merle Davis, of Williamsburg was a week-end visitor in the home of Misses Wilsie and Mattie Thornton.

Mr. and Mrs. George Abbott Terry, of Washington, D. C. were week-end guests in the home of his mother, Mrs. H. T. Terry.

Mrs. H. M. Marshall is visiting relatives in Lynchburg.

Dr. C. H. McCall was called to Washington, D. C. Friday, due to the death of his brother, Dr. A. H. McCall.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Ligon are spending a few days in the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Ligon, of Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Harvey attended the 50th anniversary of the Evergreen school Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Rascolm Williams and children, of Richmond, were week-end guests in the home of Miss Flora Williams and Robert Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Onley Ryan and daughter, Betty Frances were week-end guests in the home of Mrs. Robert Garrison.

Mr. F. D. Irving spent Friday in Richmond.

Mrs. R. C. Hughes has returned from a visit to her daughter, Miss Martha Hughes, of N. C.

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SUNDAY & MONDAY — — Oct. 31-Nov. 1
The Will Rogers Story

Vera

Vera, Oct. 25.- The fall months are certainly going by fast. Farmers are shucking corn and getting in their winter wood.

Mrs. Thornton Carter is in the hospital. She has been operated on. We hope for her a speedy recovery.

There will b a turkey supper at Vera Wednesday night.

Sonny Watson visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Watson over the week-end.

Miss Patricia Alvis visited over the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen O'Brien.

The news has been received here that Dickey Harvey, the son of Elizabeth Harvey and the late John Harvey, is in the hospital very ill. He was hurt in a car wreck on Friday. We hope for him a speedy recovery.

Farmers are having nice weather for sowing their wheat.

Week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. C .Harvey were Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Watson, Mrs. Lester Harvey, Mr. and Mrs Homer Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Don Moses, of Baltimore; Mrs. T. C. Harvey, Jr., Sandra Kay, and Mrs. Willie Moses.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Harvey visited in the home of Mr and Mrs. Monroe Webb Sunday afternoon.

The hunters are looking forward to the hunting season to open. It seems that there are lots of deer.

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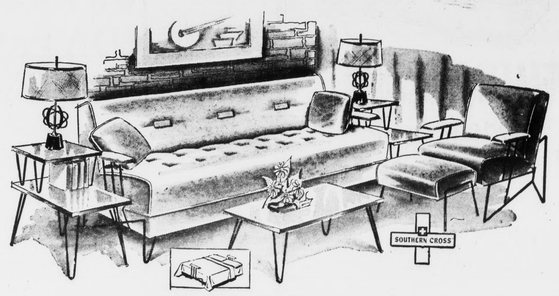

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